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In re Application of: Nicholas M. RYAN Application No. 10/676,850 Filed: September 30, 2003

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SECURING DIGITAL ASSETS USING TIME-BASED SECURITY CRITERIA

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DECISION ON REQUEST TO WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEY OR AGENT

This is a decision on the Request For Withdrawal As Attorney Under 37 CFR § 1.36 and 0.40(c) filed January 10, 2005.

A Revocation And Substitution Of Power Of Attorney Under 37 CFR § 1.36 was filed on February 14, 2005. The Power Of Attorney revoked all prior Powers Of Attorney and appointed Carr & Ferrell, LLP as the attorney(s) of record of the instant application. The Power of Attorney of February 14, 2005 was accepted. Accordingly, all communications from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to applicant are to be conducted by Carr & Ferrell LLP.

For the above stated reasons, the request is **DISMISSED AS MOOT**.

No further communication to you regarding this application will be made.

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